

2002 March Code Update and Other Training Opportunities and Requirements

Enclosed is information regarding training sessions addressing the **Wisconsin Uniform Dwelling Code construction & HVAC requirements and the Uniform Plumbing Code**, which are administered by the State Division of Safety & Buildings (S&BD). These courses are intended for building inspectors, and secondarily, designers, contractors, fire inspectors and others with an interest in Wisconsin's building codes. <u>You will note that the UDC- Construction and HVAC training will be on the four **Tuesdays** in March this year.</u>

Separate flyers have or will be sent for commercial building code training, electrical code training and Rental Weatherization training. You will note that this year's S&BD-sponsored Electrical Code training will occur a week earlier in the same cities as the UDC Update training described in this flyer, plus Stevens Point in the last week of March. The ICC commercial code training will occur on Wednesday and Thursday the same week and location as the UDC Update training.

In addition, there was Plumbing and POWTS training information in the October 2001 Plumbing Codes Report. You can check our website at www.commerce.state.wi.us for archives of the *WPCR*.

Inspector Continuing Education Requirements:

The continuing education requirements are 12 hours of credit every two years for each category, except for POWTS which is 6 hours every two years. Note that there are no continuing education requirements for the first renewal after your initial certification period following the passage of the exam for that category. Generally, attendance at the March UDC, Commercial Building and Electrical Updates every year will satisfy your continuing education requirements for all categories except POWTS, UDC-Plumbing and Rental Weatherization, for which other sessions are offered.

If you possess any of the inspection categories of UDC Construction, UDC-HVAC or UDC -Plumbing, you should **check the mailer page of this flyer** to determine your continuing education needs for each category. The hours earned reflect training rosters received in our office as of December 15, 2000. The abbreviations are:

UCI - Uniform Dwelling Code Construction Inspector

UHI - UDC Heating, Ventilating & Air Conditioning Inspector

UPI - UDC Plumbing Inspector

(Note that you can also check your continuing education status by going to our website, www.commerce.state.wi.us.

If you have a due date of 3/30/02 for continuing education requirements, then you should be especially aware of how many hours you need. In May, you will receive a renewal application for those categories with a 3/30/02 continuing education date (and a June 30, 2002 expiration date) if you have earned the indicated number of continuing education hours by the 3/30/02 cutoff. If you fail to earn enough, then you would have to re-test to regain a category.

If attendance at the March Code Updates will not satisfy your needs, then carefully check the other training sessions listed elsewhere in this flyer. Note that you can also repeat your attendance at any of the March Updates.

If you have further questions regarding your credentials and continuing education status, contact the Customer Service Center at Tel. (608)261-8500.

Additional Training Session Information:

UDC-Plumbing - The Wisconsin League of Municipality and S&BD will also hold full-day Plumbing Inspector training sessions in Waukesha on March 12 and in Eau Claire on March 14. A separate flyer for these is being sent this month. Contact the League of Municipalities at (608)267-2386 if you don't receive one.

Erosion Control - Currently, you must be certified in either UDC - Erosion Control or UDC-Construction to enforce the UDC erosion control requirements. There are currently **no** continuing education requirements for the Soil Erosion category. There is optional erosion control training planned for February by the UW-Extension. Contact them at 608-263-1672.

International Codes Suite - Effective July 1, 2002, Wisconsin will adopt for commercial buildings several of the International Code Council (ICC) suite of codes, including the International Building Code, International Mechanical Code, International Energy Efficiency Code and International Fuel Gas Code. We are currently offering a 6-day training course on these codes at four locations around the state, which were publicized in a separate flyer to inspectors.

UW Code Refresher - On February 18-21, the UW-Madison Department of Engineering Professional Development will present its annual "Wisconsin Building Code Refresher," in cooperation with the Safety and Buildings Division. This year's agenda will provide training on the International Codes suite. Various length sessions are offered with different continuing education approvals. If you have not received a program brochure contact them at 800-462-0876 or their website, http://aec.engr.wisc.edu.

Other ICC Training - Several other organizations are currently offering training sessions on these codes and have obtained inspector continuing education approval from our agency. For further information, watch your mailbox, the *Wisconsin Building Codes Report* or contact the following organizations: BOCA, Tel. 800-214-4321, website - www.bocai.org or ICBO, Tel. (888) 699-0541, website - www.icbo.org.

UW Housing & Building Inspection Programs - In January and February, the University of Wisconsin will be offering multi-day training sessions in various inspection categories. If you did not receive a flyer in November, contact the UW Department of Engineering Professional Development at Tel. (800)462-0876 or their website, www.aec.engr.wisc.edu.

Wisconsin Building Inspectors Institute - The Wisconsin Building Inspectors Association will hold its annual Institute, April 17 to 19 in Eau Claire. The agenda will include various topics of interest to UDC construction, UDC HVAC and commercial building inspectors. If you do not receive a flyer in March for the Institute, contact the League of Wisconsin Municipalities at 608-267-2380. Course #405 Continuing education credit: 6 hours each for CBI, UCI, and UHI.

Energy & HVAC Efficiency Training - The Energy Center of Wisconsin continues to offer energy and HVAC related training around the state. Some of these sessions have received inspector continuing education credit. Contact them at 800-466-4631 or their website, www.ecw.org, for details.

Technical College Sessions - Several technical colleges and a code officials' union may be offering both short and longer code courses to prospective and current building inspectors. Contact the following for details:

Location	Contact	Telephone
MATC - Milwaukee	Tom Ortell	(414)302-5284
AFSME Local 2754, Milwaukee	Jon Lang	(414)286-2132
WCTC – Waukesha	Ron Butt	(262)695-3555
NWTC – Green Bay	Bob Cormier	(920)448-3304
MATC – Madison	Devin Raines	(920)246-6259

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-Save This Sheet for Maps and Location Information-SPRING 2002 CODE UPDATE SESSIONS

The Division of Safety & Buildings, in cooperation with local inspector associations, will again offer multi-day Code Update sessions on various codes in each of the State's four corners this spring. You may register for one or more of the following sessions using the attached registration form.

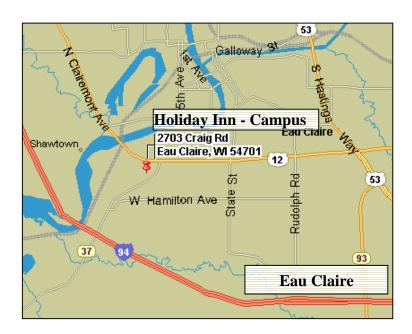
- Monday Afternoon Plumbing (Available in WI Dells and Green Bay only) will cover upcoming
 Plumbing Code changes. Cont. Ed. Credit: 3 hrs in UDC Plumbing Inspector. Included lunch is at noon. The
 training will run from 1 to 4 PM.
- Tuesday UDC (Note the change of day from Wednesday to TUESDAY this year.)- will cover engineered wood members and their connectors, log homes and mold problems. There will not be a new UDC Commentary this year, so we will not be handing one out. Course #1735 Cont. Ed. Credit: Both 6.5 hrs UDC-Con & 6.5 hrs UDC-HVAC Lunch is included at all sites.

CITY Eau Claire	DATES Tu, March 5	TRAINING REGISTRATION Steve Maley 715-839-2944	LOCATION (Maps on reverse) Eau Claire Holiday Inn - Campus, 2703 Craig Rd, (Lodging Res.: 800-472-3297; Other: 715-835-2211)
Wisconsin Dells	M - Tu; March 11 - 12	Butch Johnson Tel. 608-329-2518	Kalahari Resort, 1305 Kalahari Dr, WI Dells, (Lodging Res.: 877-253-5466)
Milwaukee	Tu, March 19	Brian Kober 262-677-9696	Clarion Hotel, 5311 S Howell Ave, (Lodging: Res.: 414-481-2400
Green Bay	M-Tu, March 25 - 26	Jim Korotev 920-434-4647	Comfort Suites/Rock Garden Restaurant, 1951 Bond Street, (Lodging Res.: 920-499- 7449)

Except for the special plumbing sessions, all daytime sessions will start with registration at 8:00 am, program at 8:30 am, lunch from noon to 1 pm and adjournment at approximately 4:30 pm.

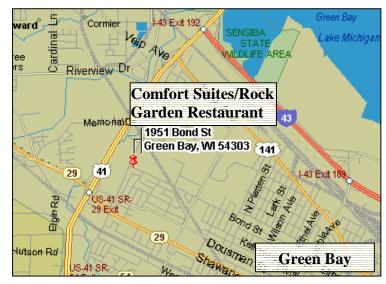
Following is a registration form to be used for these update sessions. Send the completed form to the **cosponsoring organization**. The correct fees, which vary because of different handouts and meal and break offerings, must also be included. Registration must be received **by the Monday the week before** the desired session or a late fee of \$10.00 must be paid. A confirmation letter will **not** be sent to registrants, so **save this sheet**, with training site maps on the reverse, for future reference. No refunds will be given after the Monday the week before the desired session.

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	Brian Kober, SE-WBIA					
	Village of Jackson					
	P.O. Box 147					
	Jackson, WI 53037					
	Tel. 262-677-9696					
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	\$34 Monday, March 25 Afternoon Plumbing Inspector Training (lunch included)					
	\$27 Tuesday, March 26 Uniform Dwelling Code Update					
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	Jim Korotev, NE-WBIA					
	2456 Glendale Avenue					
	Green Bay, WI 54313					
	Tel. 920-434-4647					